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MEDICAL GROUP (8 MDG) UNITS**

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This instruction implements Air Force Policy Directive (AFPD) 10-1, *Mission Directives*. This instruction establishes the mission, organization, responsibilities, and command relationships of the 8th Medical Group and its squadrons. It applies to all personnel assigned, attached, or associated units to the 8th Fighter Wing (8 FW), Kunsan Air Base, Korea. Refer recommended changes and questions about this publication to the Office of Primary Responsibility (OPR) using the AF Form 847, *Recommendation for Change of Publication*. Ensure that all records created as a result of processes prescribed in this publication are maintained in accordance with Air Force Manual (AFMAN) 33-363, *Management of Records*, and disposed of in accordance with Air Force Records Information Management System (AFRIMS) Records Disposition Schedule (RDS) located at <https://www.mv.af.mil/gcss-af61a/afirms/afirms/>. The use of the name or mark of any specific manufacturer, commercial product, commodity, or service in this publication does not imply endorsement by the Air Force.

SUMMARY OF CHANGES

This document has been substantially revised and must be completely reviewed.

New or revised material is indicated by an asterisk (*).

1. Mission. The mission of the 8th Medical Group (MDG) is to enhance the combat capability of the 8 FW during any level of threat through provision of a full spectrum of medical care and preventive health. All 8th Medical Group members maintain readiness proficiency by intense wartime training. During contingencies, the 8 MDG coordinates all base medical activities and expands as required to a bedded facility; integrates and incorporates Time-Phased Force Deployment Data List (TPFDDL) medical augmentees into an EMEDS + 25 facility, an air

transportable clinic, an air staging facility, and six medical/surgical expansion packages, creating a third echelon hospital known as the 8th Expeditionary Medical Group.

2. Command. The Commander, 8th Medical Group (8 MDG/CC) is responsible to the Commander, 8th Fighter Wing (8 FW/CC).

3. Responsibilities.

3.1. The 8 MDG/CC:

3.1.1. Is accountable for all operational and contingency activities of the 8 MDG with regard to the execution of its war and peacetime missions.

3.1.2. Ensures the quality and provision of base medical, dental, and aerospace medicine programs.

3.1.3. Provides medical advice to the 8 FW/CC regarding public and environmental health issues, recommendations to committees on ways to protect and safeguard the health of the Kunsan AB community, and an active health promotions outreach program.

3.1.4. Develops the medical chapter of all base plans; including emergency war plans, defense plans, integration of deployed forces plans, and disaster control plans; exercises operational control over base medical personnel and resources in coordination with local civilian medical agencies during disaster and civil defense survival activities.

3.1.5. Provides medical service as required in accordance with established Support Agreements.

3.1.6. Serves as chief executive officer and local representative of the Governing Body for purposes of the Accreditation Association for Ambulatory Health Care, Inc. (AAAHC).

3.1.7. Establishes the Executive Committee to function as a Governing Body for the 8 MDG.

3.2. The 8th Medical Operation and 8th Medical Support Squadron Commanders:

3.2.1. Provide for the morale, welfare, safety, and discipline of all assigned personnel.

3.2.2. Report to the 8 MDG/CC and are responsible for operational and military command and control of each squadron.

3.2.3. Maintain and improve service-line operational command and control, support senior group and 8 FW leadership, and foster military professional development.

3.2.4. Serve as Executive Committee members, interact with other 8 FW units to support mission requirements, interact and collaborate with other medical squadrons to improve organizational performance and management of personnel and resources.

4. Direct Communications. The 8 MDG/CC and all squadron commanders are authorized direct communications with agencies assigned to, or supported by the 8 FW. Direct communications are also authorized with 7th Air Force (7 AF), United States Forces Korea (USFK), and Pacific Air Forces (PACAF) counterparts and other like functional units that are part of organizations lateral to the 8 FW.

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Attachment 1**GLOSSARY OF REFERENCES AND SUPPORTING INFORMATION*****Reference***

AFPD 10-1, Mission Directives, 21 Jun 2002

AFMAN 33-363, *Management of Records*, 1 Mar 2008

Abbreviations and Acronyms

AAAHC— Accreditation Association for Ambulatory Health Care

AB— Air Base

AF— Air Force

FW— Fighter Wing

MDG— Medical Group

OPR— Office of Primary Responsibility

PACAF— Pacific Air Forces

TPFDDL— Time-Phased Force Deployment Data List

USFK— United States Forces Korea